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TAGS: PINT, PN
SUBJECT: ARCHBISHOP COMMENTS ON DECONCINI

1. IN A COMMUNIQUE RELEASED APRIL 13, ARCHBISHOP OF PANAMA
MARCOS MCGRATH EXPRESSED HIS DISPLEASURE AT THE DECONCINI
RESERVATION AS CONTRARY TO THE CONCILIATORY SPIRIT OF THE
ORIGINAL TREATIES. HE MENTIONED LETTERS, SUPPORTING PANAMA
IN THE FACE OF DECONCINI, FROM U.S. NATIONAL COUNCIL OF
CATHOLIC BISHOPS AND FROM PRIESTS, BOTH PANAMANIAN AND FOREIGN,
WORKING IN PANAMA AS THE CATALYSTS FOR HIS STATEMENT.

2. THE COMMUNIQUE MAKES AN APPEAL FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND
EXPRESSES THE ARCHBISHOP'S HOPE THAT SOMETHING WILL BE
DONE TO AMELIORATE THE RESERVATION.
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